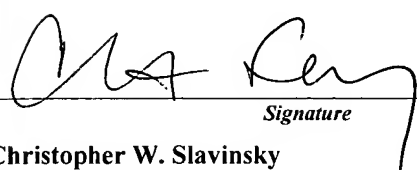



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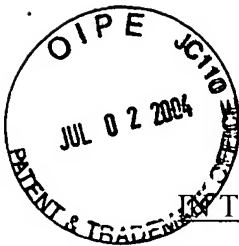
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED April 6, 2004

(AMENDMENT B)

This paper is responsive to the Office Action date April 6, 2004 in the above referenced application, which Action is non-final. Amendment of the application as presented herein, and further examination of the application as so amended, are requested.

This paper is submitted within the 3 month shortened statutory period set for reply, accordingly no fee for extension of time is believed payable. No excess claim fees are believed payable in respect of the present amendment.

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Amendment and response to Office Action dated April 6, 2004 (Amendment B)

June 29, 2004

In the event that an Extension of Time is required to render this paper timely filed, Applicant petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.126(a) for an Extension of Time to respond for the period of time sufficient to render the paper transmitted herewith timely. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees for filing this Amendment and any necessary Extension of Time to Deposit Account 19-1025. Further, if there is any other fee deficiency or overpayment of any fees in connection with this patent application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such deficiency or credit such overpayment to Deposit Account 19-1025.

Amendments IN THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS on the present amendment and in response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004 begin on page 9 of this paper.